# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

1:18-CV-08480

Plaintiff,

**ECF CASE** 

- against -

SEAWORLD ENTERTAINMENT AND JAMES ATCHISON,

Defendants.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

1:18-CV-08482

Plaintiff,

**ECF CASE** 

- against-

FREDERICK D. JACOBS,

Defendant.

# THE DISTRIBUTION AGENT'S STATUS REPORT FOR THE OUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 2025

JND Legal Administration ("JND"), the Court-appointed Distribution Agent in the above-captioned matter, respectfully submits this Status Report pursuant to this Court's Order entered December 15, 2020 (the "Order") and the Distribution Plan approved by the Court on May 22, 2023 (the "Plan"). By the Order, this Court appointed JND as the Distribution Agent to oversee the administration and distribution of the Fair Fund in coordination with the Securities and Exchange Commission's ("SEC") counsel of record. Following appointment, JND initiated the notice and claims process detailed in Section VI, paragraphs 39 through 65 of the Plan. The Claims Bar Date was October 19, 2023.

Pursuant to paragraph 98 of the Plan, the Distribution Agent is required to file, with the Court or provide to the SEC's counsel of record to file with the Court, quarterly status reports. This Status Report relates to the administration of the distribution of the Fair Fund during the first quarter of 2025.

# Tasks Performed by the Distribution Agent

Since the last Status Report, JND has performed the following tasks in connection with its role as the Court-appointed Distribution Agent:

- Maintained and monitored the case email inbox, inbound mail, toll-free number, and website dedicated solely to the Fair Fund;
- Monitored check cashing in accordance with the Distribution Plan; and
- In accordance with paragraphs 88 through 90 of the Distribution Plan, reviewed undeliverable checks, performed address searches, processed address updates, reissues requests and name change requests; performed outreach for uncashed checks, and reissued if/when possible.

#### **Anticipated Next Steps**

In the next quarter, JND will:

- Continue to maintain and monitor the case email inbox and inbound mail for the Fair Fund;
- Pursuant to Paragraph 96 of the Distribution Plan, direct any uncashed
   Distribution Payments to be voided, and return any funds remaining in the
   Escrow and Distribution Accounts to the SEC to become part of the Residual;

- Coordinate with the Tax Administrator and the SEC staff to pay all
   Administrative Costs and prepare a Consolidated Funds Accounting Report
   detailing the disposition of the Fair Fund and the amount of the Residual; and
- File the next Status Report within 20 days of the quarter ending June 30, 2025.

Dated: April 14, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>Luiggy Segura</u>

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### JND Legal Administration Seaworld Fair Fund

# Accounting Report For the Period Ending March 31, 2025

Date of Initial Transfer October 25, 2024

Origin of Transfer U.S. Treasury's Office of Financial Management ("OFM")

Authority For Transfer Order Approving Disbursement of the Fair Fund (Doc. 24), filed September 23, 2024

Location & Types of Accounts The Huntington National Bank; Escrow and Deposit Accounts

Case Caption In the Matter Securities and Exchange Commission vs SeaWorld Entertainment and James Atchison, 1:18-CV-

08480, Securities and Exchange Commission vs Frederick D. Jacobs, 1:18-CV-08482

	Fund Balance R	econciliation	
		Inception-To-Date	
		Amount	
Deposits (Funding from Client 10.25.2024)	\$		5,047,681.63
Interest/Credits Earned	\$		2,595.64
TOTAL	\$		5,050,277.27
	Distribution Re	econciliation	
	Inception-To-Date		
	Items	Amount	
Checks Presented for Payment	487	\$	919,083.74
Uncashed checks	12	\$	750.99
Wired Payments (953 Payees)	29	\$	4,116,902.93
MKA Wire Payment (229 Payees)	1	\$	10,944.00
Stale Dated Payments	0	\$	-
TOTAL DISTRIBUTED <sup>1</sup>	\$		5,047,681.66
	Current Accou	nt Ralanco <sup>2</sup>	
	ounent Accou	ACCOUNT BALANCE \$	3,346.60

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mathrm{1}}\textsc{-}$  The difference between the funding and the distributable amount \$0.03 is due to rounding

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 2}$  - This balance represents funds underlying the uncashed checks and accrued interest.